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## The Circulation of The Bulletin.

The Bulletin has the largest circulation of any paper in Eastern Connecticut, and from three to four times larger than that of any in Norwich. It is delivered to over 1,000 of the 4,000 houses in Norwich, and read by nearly three per cent. of the people. In Waukegan it is delivered to over 500 houses, in Putnam and Danbury to over 1,100, and in all of these places it is considered the local daily. Eastern Connecticut has forty-nine towns, one hundred and sixty-five postoffice districts, and forty-one rural free delivery routes. The Bulletin is sold in every town and on all of the R. F. D. routes in Eastern Connecticut.

### CIRCULATION

1901, average ..... 4,612  
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### THE MILKMEN'S STRIKE.

Eastern Connecticut, with every other section within a radius of a hundred miles of Boston, is deeply interested in the issue between the milkmen and the middlemen concerning the summer price of milk, and public sympathy heretofore is with the men who make less money, as milk producers, than the middlemen do as handlers of their dairy products.

The contractors represent themselves as standing between the consumer of a great city and the farmer. Any increase, they say, must come out at that end of the line, and to that people will object as rising prices pinch. The farmers, on the other hand, maintain that their business is unprofitable and, not content with the old-fashioned method of ceasing to do it when that condition arises in a normal and simple way, they have banded together in a closely compact union, and submitted an ultimatum to the contractors.

These contractors are the men who buy milk for \$1.25 and 4 cents a quart, according to the season and sell it in the cities from 8 to 10 cents a quart. They make it their business to squeeze the farmer and to pinch the consumer, and as bosses of the situation they can work a regular profit. Those who realize the situation hope that the milkmen will win out.

A Boston paper, in view of the issue, tells its readers that "this whole question is one which the farmer, the contractor and the consumer will have to work out for themselves. A league of milk routes is not a public service corporation over which public authority stands guard. Just now people are very much concerned over further safeguards for insuring cleanliness and quality in their milk supply. If this aspiration could be aided by appropriate legislation, they would doubtless be glad to grant some increase of cost on that account."

### THE CONDUCT OF WOLTER.

Wolter, who was sentenced to be electrocuted during the week beginning June 6th, for murdering Ruth Wheeler, is playing a wily game, but the court took no stock in his false pretenses, or in his arguments about a queen, who is the real culprit, or the persons to whom he declares he gave a lunch in the park, but put his case through in 29 days, making it one of the quickest trials on record; and his electrocution now looks as certain as the time designated in June is to arrive.

The counsel declares his belief in his innocence and gives notice that he will secure a stay of proceedings, if possible; and as the worst cases have gone in New York no one would be surprised if the law failed, and Wolter got another chance for his life. This method of repeating the trial of murderers and adding expense to expense for the state is all wrong; and this is why it costs the state \$25,000 to convict a murderer in Connecticut and some other states. The New Haven Journal-Courier is right when it says: "The trouble is not so much in the scheme of the criminal law, but in its administration. The remedy lies in firmly establishing the spirit displayed in the disposal of the Wolter case. This will do more good than recasting the code of criminal procedure. The law, on the whole, are fairly good; the trouble is in their enforcement by particular officers. No doubt the claim will be made that if Wolter had money, or influential friends, it would have been different. Perhaps so. But not rightly so. The law, above all, should make no distinction between rich and poor."

### CHEATING THE PEOPLE.

There are all sorts of swindlers in this republic of ours, and the inquiry into the cost of living is showing up how commercialism scoops profits or increases dividends by false weight and measures and mixtures.

Dr. William C. Woodward, health officer of the District of Columbia, and Col. William C. Haskell, superintendent of weights and measures, say that short-weight packages and secret agreements between wholesalers and retailers are important factors in the cost-of-living problem. Colonel Haskell told the house committee on the District this week that every one of the 300,000 barrels of flour sold in Washington annually is short at least four pounds, so that consumers pay about \$42,000 a year for flour they don't consume.

It is not likely that this sort of thing is confined to Washington, D. C. Without doubt the people of the country are cheated out of millions every year by these little schemes which turn barrels of flour into the market four pounds short, or coal into the bins eight or ten baskets short of a short ton.

Everybody who burns coal is aware of the fact that the barons are not grading their coal or making it as

free from slate as it was before the great strike and government interference, and by their changed mixtures they not only are disgusting the consumers, but are making a deal of trouble for the retail dealers. They ought to have their coal graded by law and be subjected to heavy fines if caught violating legal specifications.

### HE STANDS FOR THE MASSES.

The speaker of the New York house, a Yale graduate, has surprised the country by the hearty way in which he has given support to a bill in favor of Sunday baseball.

Speaker Wadsworth, in advocating the passage of the bill, said: "Who begrudges the rich their Sunday golf, and all the other diversions with which they are accustomed to amuse themselves on that day? Shall we continue to say to the privileged class 'Do as you will,' and to the tired breadwinners, who haven't the price, 'Thou shalt not?' In the name of public decency, in the name of public and private morality, I register my solemn protest."

This calls attention to one patent fact, that the people note the silliness of the pulpits as well as its utterances, which makes this a most effective and far-reaching argument. Sunday must be kept sacred by all who profess to honor the day, or it will be soon treated as a secular day by all. Golf is no nearer being a divine or heavenly game than croquet, tennis, ball playing or bridge whist.

### A SENTIMENT IN WHICH ALL JOIN.

The New Haven Journal-Courier gives voice to a sentiment of sympathy and sorrow in which we all join. It says: "The whole state of Connecticut extends its sympathy to Rev. Joseph H. Twichell of Hartford upon the loss of his wife by death. Universally beloved, his affliction becomes the affliction of all."—Bridgeport Standard.

The Rev. Joseph H. Twichell has many personal friends and acquaintances in all parts of eastern Connecticut, and having preached repeatedly in the cities is widely and favorably regarded by all who have listened to his able discourses. Not only in his own denomination, but in others, he has admirers, and all endorse this sentiment of sympathy and sorrow.

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

Paulhan hustles like an American if he has a French pedigree.

A French aviator carried four passengers with him the other day.

Richard Croker is now being referred to as "our best bad example."

England is said to be seeking easier divorce. She must feel the need of merry widows!

The Sons of Rest of Norwich are very busy on sunny days, now, seeing the grass grow.

A death warning in Chinese hieroglyphics is not so much nicer than a Black Hand note.

If Great Britain sends her paupers to Canada, America is sure to get more than a fair share of them.

We shall have a new set of municipal figures to go by when the census enumerators get through.

This last cold storm at the west, with extensive damage, is referred to as "a weather flareback!"

The frost that shuts a man out from the political plum-tree may be truly spoken of as a killing frost.

Sunday in America is everywhere recognized now as a day of rest, recreation and automobile accidents.

Radium is worth about \$35,500,000 a pound. J. Pierpont Morgan can afford to indulge in a few pounds.

Speaker Cannon gives notice that he is going to live until he is 93. He might as well have made it 100.

The new minister to China refuses to be interviewed. He does not propose to discredit himself that way.

In the west the papers give notice to consumers that this year's strawberry boxes are wearing their bottoms high.

The missing girl is always worrying New York. Of 70 reported missing a month ago, fifteen are still undiscovered.

Happy thought for today: It makes a difference whether your friends are the kind you need, or the kind that need you.

The Rhode Island girl who predicts that the world will come to an end on June 21 must be preparing for a picnic on that day.

The government spends \$7,000,000 for coal every year, and it has to be up to standard or the barons do not get their price.

What advantage is it to the people that the supreme court has decided that hash is not merchandise? Will it please tell what hash is!

There promises to be three governors in the next New Jersey fight for the United States senatorship, of whom Governor Fort is not the least.

Since the stereopticon has been a popular Sunday attraction for the meeting house, it is not too much to expect the moving picture to get there, yet!

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

#### A Protest.

Mr. Editor:—Permit me—a plain gardener variety of man—to enter an emphatic protest against the stuffing of my door handles with circulars and other rocco advertising matter of sundry cure-alls, slaughter-bargain sales, etc., etc., ad lib. ad nauseum.

It is bad enough to have our local establishments—the few showing such estimable taste—filling one's porches with bargain literature, but when it comes to outside schemes engaging in this imposition it is a bit too much. Today I found pushed through my screen door a "dodger" outlining some premium game of a "yellow journal" which no self-respecting man would be found reading at home or abroad. This is but one instance.

It would seem that for local merchants the newspapers are the proper (and ample) medium for legitimate advertising, while for these foreign schemes—by the way why should they be permitted at all when the net result is but to take money from the town which would best be spent within its borders.

Norwich, April 26, 1910.

## THE BULLETIN'S DAILY STORY

### JUST TALK

"Making satisfactory plans for the distribution of a large fortune is not such an easy matter as it may appear to be on the surface when you first contemplate it," said the life insurance agent. "Very few of us really have swollen fortunes to give away, but that does not prevent us from laying the foundation for the work. Should we acquire the fortune later on and desire to get rid of it such foresight as planning ahead makes it easy for us."

"Many persons would think first of the orphan liquor dealers and taxicab drivers. I have no doubt, and proceed to see that they received their share. I have no doubt many of them are worthy and certainly they appreciate the efforts of those who feel impelled to get rid of large sums in that way. The average bartender is compelled to get up early every morning, if he happens to be on the duty shift, so that he can supply the needs of those who had a thirst left over from the previous night."

"I am compelled to arise early every morning, especially when you stayed up late the night before, is fierce. 'If I had a large fortune I think now that I should enjoy it a year or two before beginning the distribution. It is too large a scale. Among the plans I have made is one for avoiding the annoyances of the year with the spring season of the year. I refer to the housecleaning season, to be plain about it. 'When I saw my wife sniffling about the premises in dissatisfied manner I should know that the desire to clean house was coming on."

### Interdicting Authorship.

A magazine writer with a bent for starting hopeless questions, like the old one about the irresistible force and the immovable body, wants to know "What would be the result if some mighty car of the world should issue an edict that no new books should be written, for say, the term of 100 years?"

Assuming the possibility of the enforcement or effectuation of such an edict two main results, one of them as deplorable as the other would be the reverse might be suggested. It is possible that such statutory sterilization of pens would deprive the world of some works of great genius and actual originality, and thus work a crime against the soul of humanity.

On the other hand, it is certain that a great and salutary check on the caustic scribbler (vulgarily called "scribbler's itch") would ensue, with a corresponding abatement of the continuous avalanche of rubbish and worse that now pours from the pens. In their place, we might see a realization of Schopenhauer's happy dream of an enlightened generation of readers immersed in the classics and insisting on "new," but on what is "good."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

### Must Work Out His Own Salvation.

Regardless of all that is being said and done against the Negro, the fault is in himself more than in anyone else that he is a weak and impotent people. As long as the negro does not respect the church, the Sabbath and the home, as long as he neglects his family and wastes his time in idleness and folly; as long as he fails to unite and labor to lift up the race; as long as he fails to recognize leadership among his own people, so long will he remain a servile, dependent race, duped, imposed upon and oppressed by other folk. No legislative enactment can make a people great.—Kentucky Torchlight, Afro-American.

Jeffries' wind pleases his trainer. His press agents also show superiority in that line.—Chicago News.



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"Thinking of cleaning house" I should ask her quite casually and non-chantly. "She would admit that cleaning house was on her mind. Such things are on her mind about two-thirds of the time, anyhow. Thereupon I should order out the automobile and should request her to see that all the children were placed in it."

"What are you doing?" she would ask. "Then I should have to act mysteriously so as to throw her off her guard. 'I'm going to clean house,' I should say, chuckling, and at the same time hustling the children out. I should not need to count them after they were loaded into the motor car, to be sure they were all there. Then I should set fire to the house and burn it down."

"Around on a prettier street I should have a magnificent home all ready for my family and I should take them there at once. Later I might build another residence on the site of the burned house, and in that way we could move back and forth once or twice a year. The plan is not a bad one, I think, and it would help to distribute a fortune."

"Of course I should allow my wife to carry with her in the automobile such little trinkets as she might prize, but her opportunity to get them would have to be limited to the time between the starting of the blaze and the honking of the automobile horn when the last child was put aboard. Otherwise she would have three or four furniture vans full of stuff trailing along behind. "But if the revision takes place and the reduction of the number of drugs follow, what will become of that long and mysterious display of bottles, cases, jars, that now occupy the shelves of the drug stores? How would the faith in the virtue of endless medicines with strange and outlandish names will be shattered when no longer the ancient nomenclature appears? And what effect will the absence of those variously colored bottles, with their vague and inscrutable contents, have upon the old-time delirious looting about the store? That is the question. And so we say, stay the ruthless hand that would blot out one of the 300 drugs in the national pharmacopoeia.—Ohio State Journal.

### Reducing the drug List.

There is a group of influential and intelligent physicians in the east who are trying to revise the United States pharmacopoeia by reducing the drugs therein listed to possibly one-third or one-fourth of what they are now. It is claimed that there are many drugs useless and antiquated for which there is no demand in an intelligent and sane society, and that these would go out of the pharmacopoeia and be no longer subject to the pure drug indorsement by the government.

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### Mr. Hale Satisfied.

"At my time of life one is anxious to avoid personal contests. I felt I was entitled to a period of rest. My friends believe I could be re-elected, but the turmoil incident to the canvass has been very unpleasant to me. I am anxious to go back to Maine and live. That is one reason why I want to get out. There is no place where I am happier than at my home in Ellsworth."

The senator alluded to the bitter attacks on him and especially to one in a New York newspaper which was very virulent. "These, I suppose," said he, "do not hurt one among friends, but, after all, they are unpleasant. I am very glad now that I made the decision. It relieves me of many worries. I am satisfied to be judged on the rec-

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ord of what I have done."—Washington Dispatch to Boston Herald.

Naturally Oozes Out. It is remarkable that while Colonel Roosevelt remains silent, his views, nevertheless, manage to leak into the dispatches.—Atlantic Journal.

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